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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/807,843  
Applicant : Helmuth GABL  
Filed : March 24, 2004  
Title : PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR BEATING PULPS  
BETWEEN TWO BEATING SURFACES

TC/A.U. : 3725  
Examiner : Mark Rosenbaum

Docket No. : ANDPAT/186/US

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

### RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

In response to the Official Action dated January 3, 2006, in which a restriction requirement was imposed as between Group I (claims 1-6 and 27) and Group II (claims 7-26), applicant hereby elects Group II, with traverse.

Amendments to the Description begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

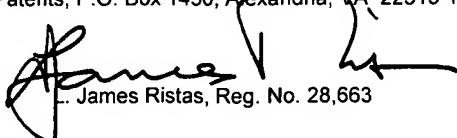
There are no amendment to the Drawing.

Remarks begin on page 7.

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